

Federal Grants, Procurement, and Appropriations Workshop

The Office of Congressman Tom Feeney

November 3, 2003, 8AM-7PM

Washington, DC

You are invited to a Federal Funding Workshop hosted by Congressman Tom Feeney. The one day program will focus on improving the ability of Central Florida's independent contractors and researchers to receive federal funding for homeland security, defense, and space technology projects. The program will consist of a series of three panels of experts on the subjects of grants, appropriations, and procurement.

INFORMATION PANELS

Grants, Appropriations, Procurement

Each of the three panels will consist of 4-6 experts experienced in a particular field. Panelists will include Congressional staff, administrative representatives from DoD, DHS, and NASA, professional lobbyists, and university representatives. Each panelist will give a short presentation and be available for questions. Each panel will consist of 90 minutes of questions and answers followed by a 30 minute break for participants and panelists to speak and meet with each other individually.

MEALS & RECEPTION

To provide a full day of information all meals will be working meals. During each of the meals a series of distinguished speakers including Members of Congress and administration appointees will address the participants. Breakfast and lunch will be provided, and the day will conclude with a reception with Florida's Congressional delegation.

COSTS AND DEADLINE

Each Participant will be charged a \$100 fee to cover the cost of meals and room rental. Checks should be made payable to Congressman Tom Feeney. Applications and payment should be received by Friday October 24, 2003. Space is limited so reservations will be made on a first come first served basis.

More information: www.house.gov/feeney/workshop.htm

Or contact Myal Greene at 202-225-2706 or m.greene@mail.house.gov

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Logistical Information

Scheduling - The event will be held on November 3, 2003 on the U.S. Capitol Complex. **Registration will begin at 8AM and Breakfast will be held 9AM. Events will continue throughout the day, concluding with a reception from 5:30-7PM**

Hotels - The following hotels are conveniently located near the Capitol.

Hyatt Regency Capitol Hill	202-737-1234
Capitol Hill Suites	202-543-6000
The Phoenix Park Hotel	202-638-6900
Hotel George	202-347-4200
Holiday Inn-On the Hill	202-638-1616

Airports - While Dulles and BWI are near the DC area, Reagan National is the most convenient airport for travelers headed to the Capitol. Travel times between BWI and Dulles and the Capitol will be approximately 1 hour.

Airlines - The following airlines fly into the DC area airports:

American Airlines	800-433-7300
American Trans Air	800-435-9282
Continental	800-525-0280
Delta	800-221-1212
US Airways	800-428-4322
United	800-241-6522
Northwest	800-225-2525
Air Tran	800-247-8726

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